

# ARMAGEDDON

Number 12

St. Patrick's Day 1967

Dygert says for everyone to wear orange today!

EDITORIAL: RESCIND THE TREATY OF MOSCOW.

ARMA-1

THE FIDGLEY FORAY

Winter 1906

AUSTRIA declines to order F Naples to retreat, and accordingly, the fleet is annihilated.

TURKEY retreats A Serbia to Albania.

BUILDS:

AUSTRIA: A Vienna.

ENGLAND: A Liverpool and F London.

Spring 1907 Manoeuvres: AUSTRIA SUES FOR PEACE! BRITISH MUDDLE ON!

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN EMPIRE (Reinsel): A Moscow-Warsaw; A Sevastopol-Ukraine; A Rumania (S) A Serbia-Bulgaria; A Serbia-Bulgaria; A Trieste-Albania; A Venice-Rome; A Tyrolia-Trieste; A Vienna-Galicia; A Silesia (S) A Moscow-Warsaw.

BRITISH EMPIRE (Dygert): A Ukraine (S) A Warsaw; A St Petersburg-Moscow; A Warsaw (S) A St Petersburg-Moscow; F Tunis-Ionian Sea; F Mid Atlantic Ocean-Western Mediterranean Sea; F Denmark-North Sea; F Baltic Sea-Livonia; A Burgundy (S) ITALIAN A Ruhr-Munich; A Belgium-Ruhr; A Paris-Gascony; F London-English Channel; A Livonia-Yorkshire.

GERMAN EMPIRE (Johnson): A Berlin stands.

ITALY EMPIRE (Tzudiker): F Spain (s.c.)-Gulf of Lyon; A Ruhr-Munich; A Kiel (S) A Ruhr-Munich; F Naples (S) A Tuscany-Rome; A Tuscany-Rome.

OTTOMAN EMPIRE (Brannan): A Albania-Tunis; F Ionian Sea (C) A Albania-Tunis; A Bulgaria-Serbia; A Greece (S) A Bulgaria-Serbia; A Armenia-Sevastopol.

Underlined moves fail. As indicated by the use of the symbol "/D/", the English A Warsaw is dislodged. It retreats to Prussia. Fall 1907 moves will be due on or before THURSDAY 30 MARCH 1967 c/o Charles Turner, 843 Santa Fe, Albany, California 94706. In the supply center chart for 1906, we neglected to note the Italian ownership of Kiel. This did not affect the builds, however.

PRESS RELEASES:

AUSTRIA TO TURKEY: We have taken our fleet out of the Mediterranean. If you will stop "shelling" us and quit helping the war-mongering English, we will give the rest of Italy back to the Italians! (cont.)

"Give us your blood!" cried von Reinsel!

AUSTRIA TO ITALY: HELPI! A truce?

LONDON: HAPPY NEW YEAR!

NAPLES, MAY 7, 1907: Joy reigned unrestrained as the Italian government returned home. With tears in Her eyes, Her Majesty Queen E. Barbara Phillip addressed her people: "Though we walked in the shadow of annihilation and tasted the bitter gall of oppression, He restored us to our land and to mankind its honor. Let us thank Him and every nation and person who, guided by His Will, aided us in returning home....

"Just as our liberation brings us joy and honor so we must commit ourselves to bringing this joy and peace to all oppressed nations. We shall join those nations who freed us from our bondage and liberate all peoples who live under Tyranny. Let Him ~~bless the English and Turkish peoples with peace and call them~~ the children of God. Amen."

## ARMA-2

Spring 1904

COUNT LEDDENBOTUM NEW PRIME MINISTER OF AUSTRIA-HUNGARY! RUSSIANS EMERGE FROM HIBERNATION! GERMANY AND TURKEY GOING UNDER...

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY (Fletcher): A Vienna, A Bohemia, A Bulgaria, A Serbia, F Greece, A Albania, and A Budapest are struck senseless by European Concertmaster lightning bolt!

ENGLAND (Powlesland & Maddux): F Holland-North Sea; F London and F Helgoland Bight (S) F Holland-North Sea; F Norwegian Sea-Barents Sea (and hits iceberg). Saus!

FRANCE (Nelson): A Ruhr-Kiel; A Munich-Berlin; A Silesia (S) A Munich-Berlin; F English Channel (S) ENGLISH F London-North Sea; F Mid Atlantic Ocean-North Atlantic Ocean; A Belgium-Ruhr; A Burgundy-Munich.

GERMANY (Celestre): A Kiel (S) A Berlin; A Berlin (S) A Kiel /D/; F Denmark (S) RUSSIAN F Skagerrak-North Sea.

ITALY (Brannan): A Tyrolia (S) AUSTRIAN A Bohemia; F Aegean Constantinople; F Eastern Mediterranean-Smyrna.

RUSSIA (Johnson): F Black Sea (S) ITALIAN F Aegean-Constantinople; A Ukraina-Warsaw; A Sweden-Finland; F Norway (S) F Skagerrak-North Sea; F Skagerrak-North Sea.

TURKEY (Alexander): A Armenia-Smyrna; F Ankara-Constantinople; F Constantinople-Aegean Sea, /A/.

Underlined moves fail. The German A Berlin is dislodged and must retreat to Prussia. The Turkish F Constantinople is dislodged and annihilated for lack of space to retreat. The deadline for Fall 1904 moves is THURSDAY 30 MARCH 1967 c/o James J. Dygert, 2090 Blackwood Dr., Walnut Creek, Calif. 94596.

## PRESS RELEASES:

VIENNA: The Mad Ritournello was here!

LONDON: "Holland for the Hollanders!" was the cry that spread through Parliament as the Minister ordered the Armed Forces to pull the North Sea fleet out of Holland and turn it to the attack against the real aggressors, the Czarist military forces. This move was made in conjunction with a general plan to push the reds out of Scandinavia completely.

GENEVA Lightning Bolt Limited dropped 30 points today as labor leaders announced a general strike against the company, which is owned by that reactionary capitalist pig, the European Concertmaster. Apparently the break was over the system of mailing the pay checks--they just never seemed to get there.

ALBANY: Methinks there is more to this than meets the eye.

MT. OLYMPUS: If the English don't call off that threatened strike, the European Concertmaster will personally lift the harbor defenses of Liverpool and let the French in!

ALBANY: As if they need any help...

MINSK: The Minsk press release is deleted because it is absolutely illegible.

ARMA-3 TEAM GAME Spring 1903

SEATTLE:

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY (Beyerlein): F Greece (S) RUSSIAN F Aegean-Ionian Sea; A Serbia-Budapest; A Vienna-Bohemia; A Trieste (S) A Tyrolia-Venice; A Tyrolia-Venice.

FRANCE (Shagrin): F English Channel-North Sea; A Spain-Gascony; A Paris (S) A Spain-Gascony /D/; F Portugal-Spain (s.c.).

RUSSIA (Long\*): A Sweden-Denmark; A Warsaw-Silesia; A Prussia (S) A Warsaw-Silesia; A Galicia (S) A Warsaw-Silesia; F Aegean Sea-Ionian Sea; F Gulf of Bothnia-Baltic Sea; F Norway (S) FRENCH F English Channel-North Sea.

LTA:

ENGLAND (Dygart\*): F Mid Atlantic Ocean-Portugal; F Irish Sea-English Channel; F London (S) F Holland-North Sea; A Picardy-Paris; F Holland-North Sea.

GERMANY (Johnson): F Denmark-Baltic Sea ((1)): A Munich (S) A Silesia-Berlin; A Silesia-Berlin; A Burgundy (S) ENGLISH A Picardy-Paris.

ITALY (Briley): A Piedmont (S) A Venice-Tyrolia; A Venice-Tyrolia; A Marseilles-Spain; F Naples-Ionian Sea; F Western Mediterranean Sea (S) A Marseilles-Spain.

Underlined moves fail. The French A Paris is dislodged and must retreat to Brest. Deadline for Fall 1903 moves is THURSDAY 30 MARCH 1967 c/a C. Turner, 843 Santa Fe, Albany, Calif. 94706.

"American policy under F.D. Roosevelt became in 1933 markedly more isolationist than it had been under his Republican predecessor."

ARMA-4

OMNIBUS

Winter 1915

ERRATUM: In computing the German builds, we neglected to note the capture of Prague. Germany is entitled to two builds, not one.

AUSTRIA\*hungary (Walker): A Prague retreats to Salzburg.  
A Fiume retreats to Dalmatia.

FRANCE (Powlesland): A Besancon retreats to Burgundy.

GERMANY (Celestre): A Danzig retreats to Pomerania.  
A Warsaw retreats to Posen.

#### BUILDS AND REMOVALS:

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY: Remove A Cracow.

FRANCE: Remove F Pyrenees.

GERMANY: Build A Berlin and F Hamburg.

ITALY: No build.

RUSSIA: Build F St Petersburg and A Minsk.

TURKEY: Build F Constantinople.

#### PRESS RELEASES:

LONDON: England declares war on U.S. Postal Service!

NANCY: Crowds of thousands turned out to welcome the return of French forces to liberate the province of Lorraine from the German hordes. Leaflets which were handed out proclaimed that the war would be carried from there into the very heartland of the enemy.

ZARA (island off Dalmatian coast, 16 January 1916): H.M.S. Rodney sunk! In a fierce fire-fight, the H.M.S. (Hungarian Mercenary Seow) Rodney and two support vessels were sunk off the Dalmatian coast late yesterday. The Italian battle cruisers Gregorious and Trieste are credited with sinking the lone Hungarian capital ship. While the crew was having a typical Orgy (the only thing the Hungarians can do), the Italian ships closed and proceeded to engage her. The Rodney absorbed six hits before she was able to return fire. In 15 minutes she lost all fire control and was sunk shortly thereafter. The last words of the Captain were recorded thus: "...not a game for innocents." This lone survivor was exiled to Turkey (an American dirigible) for lack of foresight and intelligence. The loss of the Rodney may hinder Hungarian relations with Russia. The Rodney was a gift to Austria after the Russo-Japanese War. The 25,000 ton vessel was transported, at great expense, across Siberia on the T.S.R.

ROME: The arrival of Prince Bordscha to oppose Italian liberation armies has led to widespread Italian victories. In the first engagement, the Austrians were driven from Tyrolia. Given a second chance, Bordscha's armies were crushed in the now-famous "Battle for Prague."

ALBANY, CALIF: You should have seen Caesar's grand successes on the Russian front in 1966 AA!

ROME: The Italian National Zoo has expressed the hope that a

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limited number of "Hungarians" be preserved for research purposes and public exhibition. BUDAPEST (15 November 1915): His Imperial Majesty, Zoltan II, while making sacrifice to the war god, Ataturkapat, today revealed to the press what had long been suspected: the Germans have captured the provinces of Bohemia and Moravia. "It shall be our policy," His Most Magyar Majesty observed, "not to resist the invaders from the north. The Hungarian Empire shall continue in its present course of unalterable hostility to Italy, even if it means that all of Hungary shall become part of the Reich. We have accordingly ordered a full-scale retreat in the north; only in the south shall Hungarian armies continue to fight and to kill the invaders of our sacred Hungarian soil." His Most Magyar Majesty expressed his hope that recent Russian successes on Germany's eastern front would discourage the Reich from further depredations against Hungarian territory, but reiterated that, come what may, the armies of the Kaiser would not be resisted. "We will do everything in Our power," he added, "to encompass the complete destruction of Italy. No quarter!" His Majesty cried, as he had another Italian POW sacrificed to Ataturkapat. (An ancient Magyar practice.)

SALONA (3 December 1915): The gunfire of Italian ships and the answers of the shore batteries have not ceased in this town, the residence of Her Imperial Majesty, Empress Lucia, for a year now. Many of the ancient structures of the ancient Roman city have been shaken to the ground. Her Majesty has made several attempts at restoration during the Sun Festival and Fertility Festival cease-fires, but to no avail. Her Majesty has not been much in evidence lately, and it is rumored that she has retired to her villa in nearby Bosnia-Herzegovina, awaiting the birth of her first child.

DEADLINE for Spring 1916 moves is THURSDAY 30 MARCH 1916. James J. Dygert, 12090 Blackwood Dr, Walnut Creek, California 94596.

#### ARMA-5

Spring 1902

#### A GAME OF CUT-THROATS...

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY (Pendergrass): A Vienna-Tyrolia; F Trieste-Adriatic; A Budapest-Trieste; A Serbia-Bulgaria; F Greece (S) A Serbia-Bulgaria.

ENGLAND (Tzudiker): A Norway stands; F London-English Channel; F North Sea-Belgium; F Norwegian Sea-North Sea.

FRANCE (Alexander): A Burgundy (S) GERMAN A Ruhr-Munich; A Spain-Marseilles; F Portugal-Mid Atlantic.

GERMANY (Peery): A Ruhr-Munich; A Berlin (S) A Ruhr-Munich; A Denmark holds; F Holland-Kiel.

ITALY (Swenson): A Munich-Burgundy /D/; A Tyrolia-Piedmont; F Rome-Tuscany; F Naples-Tyrrhenian Sea; F Tunis-Western Med.

RUSSIA (Leitch): F Sweden holds; A St Petersburg-Finland; A Moscow holds; A Ukraina-Sevastopol; F Rumania (S) AUSTRIAN A Serbia-Bulgaria; F Sevastopol-Armenia.

TURKEY (Wilford): A Smyrna-Aegean Sea; A Constantinople (S) A Bulgaria; A Bulgaria holds /A/; F Ankara-Black Sea.



ARMA-5 continued:

Underlined moves fail. The Turkish A Bulgaria is dislodged and annihilated for lack of a space to which to retreat. The Italian A Munich is routed and must retreat to either Bohemia or Silesia. The Italian player should include the direction of this retreat along with his Fall 1902 moves. Others may make their moves conditional on the direction of this retreat. The deadline for Fall 1902 moves is THURSDAY 30 MARCH 1967 c/o J.J. Dygert, 2090 Blackwood Drive, Walnut Creek, California 94596.

PRESS RELEASES:

ST. PETERSBURG: Fearing that the tiny Turkish province of Armenia has not received proper attention from its ruling Sultan, Prince Nickolas sent one of the insignificant Sevastopol fish boats on an exploratory mission. Always concerned for the welfare of humanity (as the absence of purges in his reign attests) the Prince hopes to find the men of Armenia well contented.

BERLIN: WHERE ARE YOU SNOOPY?

In the first joint meeting of the newly elected Reichstag, the Coalition Government of the German Beer Drinkers Confederation and the German Beer Makers League were joined by the Anti-Liquor League minority party in denouncing the refusal of the Italian-Vatican Fascist Coalition (so-called Holy Roman Empire) to surrender to Germany its most precious relic, the SNOOPY DOLL. Italian forces in a sneak attack on Munich last Fall seized the most holy relic, of Germany's love and faith in mankind and carried it off to Rome. In a joint declaration of war on Italy, the United German Abstainers for the Duration Front called on all Germans to accept the suspension of installation of Tappers in all homes until the relic had been recovered.

P. Schlitz, holder of the Foreign Ministry Portfolio, said that German units would be attacking any and all Italian forces in sight. "We will not rest or cease until SNOOPY is back home again." Schlitz further denounced the Italian-Vatican Fascist Coalition's efforts to subvert German resistance to an invasion of France by Italy through Germany. "We would never allow our noble allies to be invaded in such a sneaky manner." "Anybody that's a dog-napper like those nasty Italians deserves to be impounded."

P. Schlitz also denounced the Italian leaders as: "illiterate, bad-typing, double-dealing, stamp-stealing (who else but Brannan uses red-white, and blue "We support Our Servicemen" stamps?) Italians. Humph, ruff, and even too-to-too to you, Swenson. I'll teach you to be smart with me. Us San Diegans fight clean but we paly for Blood. ((I seem to recall that one C.F. von Metake is a resident of San Diego. A former resident is one R.C. Walker.))

T. Pot, leader of the Anti-Liquor League, which joined the United Front for the duration of the War thanked France and Austria for their cooperation during the present crisis. He promised, "All we want is SNOOPY back!"

R. Rotgut, leader of the German Beer Drinkers Confederation announced that he would soon depart on a live-nation good-will tour to gather support for the search for SNOOPY. "We will be allies and friends to the end with anyone who will bring SNOOPY back to us." HERE, SNOOPY, SNOOPY WHERE ARE YOU?

ROME: NO, NO, NO\*\*I said

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ARMA-6

THE GRUDGE MATCH

Spring 1901

MURTED MAYHEM MANAGEMENT:

ENGLAND (Simon\*): F London-English Channel; F Edinburgh-North Sea;  
A Liverpool-Yorkshire;

FRANCE (Meyer): A Paris-Burgundy; A Marseilles (6) A Paris-Burgundy;  
F Brest-Mid Atlantic.

RUSSIA (Walker): F Sevastopol-Black Sea; A Moscow-Ukraine;  
A Warsaw-Galicia; F St Petersburg (sc)-Gulf of Bothnia.

LAFAYETTE TACTICS ASSOCIATION:

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY (Bailey): A Vienna-Galicia; A Budapest-Rumania;  
F Trieste-Albania;

GERMANY (Johnson): A Munich-Silesia; A Berlin-Prussia; F Kiel-Holland.

TURKEY (Dygart): A Constantinople-Bulgaria; A Smyrna-Armenia;  
F Ankara-Black Sea.

VIENNA: Partly to the Porte: I, the Minister of Reaction for His Imperial Majesty Franz Leopold of the Dual Monarchy demand that Hassan be Chummy, ambassador of the Sublime Porte to Vienna be recalled. He chews garlic and no one can get near him. ((Does he also smoke schimmelpennicks??))

Baron Rjaginski of the Ministry of Cults was heard to remark-- "Isn't this a smash! Among our opponents ((come, come; you're supposed to vilify them--opponents is much too respectful!)) we have a lieutenant who is a captain and a captain who is merely a lietenant. And the captain who is a lieutenant is subordinate to the lieutenant who is a cpatain in spite of the fact that he outranks him. Not only that, but the other player, a lieutenant who for variety is a lieutenant is subordinate to both the lieutenant-captain and the captainlieutenant. In addition, the lieutenant-lieutenant has a German name and his position is France. It's nice that the lieutenantcaptain playing England has an English name, but it must be clearly understood that captain-lieutenant Walker is a son of a--Wait! This is getting out of control! ((What is?? My typing??)) Now I suggest that your beady-eyed little coffee-clatch play musical chairs or something with these titles until they come out Captaincaptain, lieutenant-lieutenant, and lieutenantlieutenant. This would eliminate so much confusion ((also I wouldn't have to type all of this again)). What does your little detachment of the Hobbity-at-arms think about this?"

ALBANY: I think the whole problem could be solved nicksly by demoting Walker back to Lt. and promoting Simon to Captain! cmt.

MOSKVA (23 April 1901): His Imperial Majesty, Ivan VII, Tsar-Autocrat of All the Russias, Grand Duke of Poland and Finland, Emperor of the East, the Little Father, the Great, the Just, Sword of the Church, &c, &c, &c, Khan of Kasaan, Khan of Astrakhan, Khan of Kasimov, Khan of Sibir, &c., &c., today ascended the ancient and venerable throne of His ancestors in the traditional captial of Great Russia, Moskva, anfter the unexpected death of His Imperial Majesty Tsar Nikolai II and His Majesty's brother,





PARIS (5 May 1901) - French President, the Marquis du Linus, brother of Empress Alexandra of Russia, has just announced that a state of Martial Law will be in effect for the duration of the recently announced European War. As his first act he has announced that the following items will be strictly banned from sale in the Republic of France: Turkish cigarettes, Hungarian goulash, and Volkswagen horse carts.

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 ROD WALKER, editor of EREHWON, is looking for players. EREHWON is one of the best Dippy zines in the business, and features many interesting variants. Walker has just created a new one-- Imperialism IX, in which Sparta, Athens, Persia, and all sorts of smaller states refight the Peloponnesian War. Rod is also seeking players for a 50-man variant which is beginning to fill: the game of Feudalism. Game fees are cheap. Write to Rodney (use air mail only--8¢): Captain Rodney C. Walker, TUSLOG Det. 183, APO New York, NY 09254.

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 The 20th Annual Westercon will be held July 1st thru July 4th 1967 at the Sheraton-West Hotel, 2961 Wilshire Boulevard, LA, Calif. 90005. There will be lots of attractions, including a Dippy Tourney. Convention membership is \$2. Hotel rates for convention members-- \$8/day single, \$12/day double. For information write Earl Thompson, Westercon XX, 128 South Mariposa Ave #2, Los Angeles, Calif. 90004.

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 ROD WALKER WRITES: On the stand-off question posed...((see last issue)), I would rule that Silesia is open to retreat. The rule-book clearly defines a stand-off as a situation in which no movement occurs: either two units try to move and stand each other off, or one tries to move against another (which does not move) and is stood off. The situation described is one in which movement occurs. Silesia is empty; why? Because two units tried to go there and there was a stand-off? No.--and neither of the other definitions of a stand-off is met, either, because if one or the other had been met, there would be a unit in Silesia. So Silesia is empty. So much for the rules, if interpreted strictly. What might the realist school say? What is the purpose of retreats? Obviously, the retreats are considered as part of the move, even though, they occur afterwards. The reason a unit cannot retreat to a province left empty by a stand-off is that, actually, the retreat is taking place while the battle which led to the stand-off is taking place, and that is not possible. But the same reasoning which allows Koning's Rule also allows a retreat in Turner's situation. Silesia is empty because the army in it



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pushed into Prussia; thus there was no battle in Silesia and the fact that the Army in Prussia attacked Silesia should make no difference. Thus, I feel that both strict interpretation of the Rules and the "realist" interpretation would be in agreement on this problem. A retreat into Silesia should be allowed.

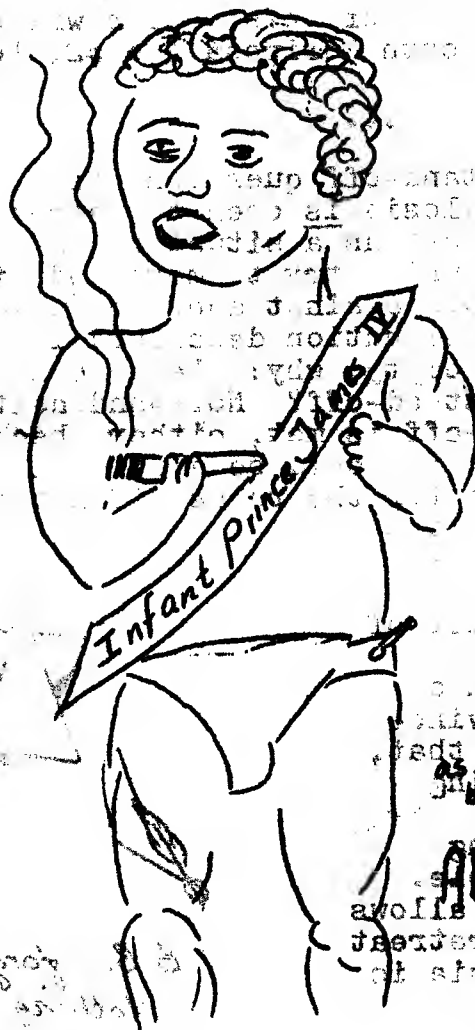
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ROD ALSO WRITES: On the question of ordering units to nonexistent places, I would rule that such an order constituted an order to stand and that therefore such a unit could be supported in place. This seems to me to be the only interpretation which could be placed on such an order. However, an order like F Lon-Ank, while impossible, would have to be treated as an order to move, and such a unit could not be supported in place. Naturally, ~~the rules do not cover either situation, since they tacitly~~ assume that when an order is given for movement, the move is one which could be considered legal or which the mover thought was legal.

((Again, I agree completely...cmt))

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Time to get Ambitious : (1991 - Fall 1991)

...the Minister Dr. James announced today. ...a good doctor himself. ...an eminent microbiologist.

Simon, S.A. Yorkshire-Belgium; F. North Sea (C) S.A. Yorkshire-Belgium  
n; F. English Channel (S) S.A. Yorkshire-Belgium.

Europe: A Burgundy-Munich; A Marseilles-Spain; F Mid  
Atlantic Ocean-Portugal;

na (S) A Warsaw: F. Gulf of Bothnia-Sweden.

greater military minds of the Empire have expressed openly their

UNGARY (Bailey); <sup>1</sup> saw <sup>2</sup> Romania (S) <sup>3</sup> TURKISH A Se Sevastopol <sup>4</sup>  
 A-Sevastopol; F Albania-Greece; A Vienna-Tyrolia.

A Silesia-Monich, A. Prussia-Lavola.

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SEAS:

that no one has seen any member of the Royal Family in the weeks. All coronation duties to be from the Royal Family handled by the esteemed Prime Minister, Dr. Hary Janos. Possible is the explanation that some type of minor epidemic loose among the members of the Royal Family.

2 August 1901): Rumors of trouble among the members of the Royal Family have now been confirmed, Dr. Hary Janos today. Already the three youngest of the Royal Family have succumbed to it, as yet unidentified. The biological minds in the Empire are now trying to unravel the phantom microbe. All the Royal Family who still survive are stricken. A period of mourning has been decreed by the Minister.

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September 1901):  
 ty, Queen Victoria, last  
 member of the Royal  
 succumbed today to the  
 s, but as yet  
 ed, disease which  
 running rampant at  
 a Palace.



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B.B. forging Rod Walker's press releases.

LONDON (9 September 1901): The microbe has been identified, Prime Minister Dr. Janos announced today. Strangely enough, it was the good Doctor himself (he is an eminent microbiologist in addition to being a great statesman) who isolated the new organism, a highly flagellated spirochete. It will be named Thanatospiirus Haryi in his honour. The organism was isolated from a stock of sauerkraut that had recently been received at the royal kitchens from the manufacturer in Kiel.

LONDON (10 September 1901): Public feeling against the German government is rising sharply here in the capital. Many of the greater military minds of the Empire have expressed openly their conviction that the death of the Royal Family was a direct result of German biological warfare.

HELGOLAND BIGHT: Speaking of chemical warfare! What about those noxious fumes from the Home Fleet?????

BIRMINGHAM (11 September 1901): Metallurgists have a new problem to cope with in the steel industry. A disintegration of steel products (similar to the famous "tin disease") has set in to practically all of the city's industrial output. Research is being conducted to determine the exact cause of this strange phenomenon.

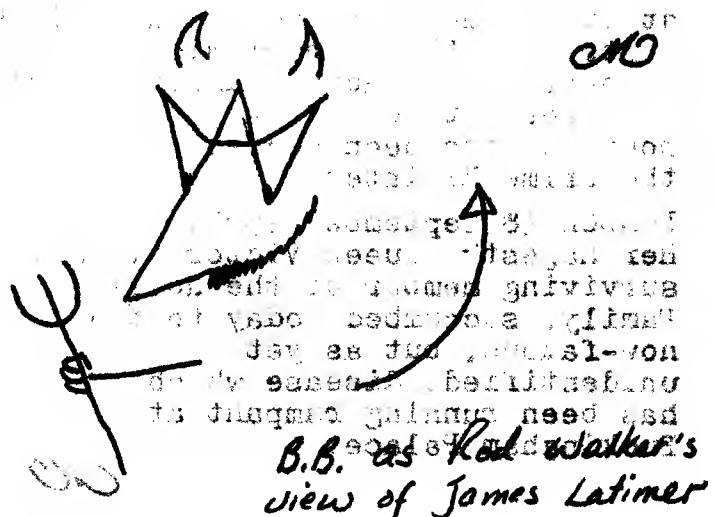
BIRMINGHAM (15 September 1901): Thanatospiirus haryi isolated from local steel products.

CARDIFF (16 September 1901): Thanatospiirus haryi isolated from the Cardiff giant.

LONDON (16 September 1901): Thanatospiirus haryi isolated from the body of the German ambassador (who, interestingly enough, had not contracted the disease).

LONDON (20 September 1901): The nephew of Dr. Hary Janos, Hary Arpad, arrived today from Budapest by balloon. The balloon was filled with a new gas ((hot air from MMM press releases???)), helium, a natural product of Thanatospiirus haryi, a gas-evolving micro-organism. Hary Arpad is a blooded prince of the Hungarian royal house. ((And therefore a Hapsburg.)) He is not the heir to the throne, being the youngest of three sons, and is noted for his strong anti-German sentiments.

LONDON (21 September 1901): The House of Commons today actively supported the recommendation put forth by the House of Lords early this a.m. concerning the succession to the Crown. As has been previously reported, the House of Commons unanimously recommended that His Excellency Hary Arpad be offered the crown. His Excellency has made no comment.

  
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view of James Latimer

LONDON (21 September 1901): His Excellency Harry Arpad today expressed his acceptance of the Crown when confronted with a "new" Irish delegation from the House of Lords, the Admiralty, MI5, and Dr. Alexander Fleming. Said the prince, "Oh, all right. The coronation will probably take place at some time in January. Inaugurating the Almaretes-Coburg Dynasty."

LONDON (22 September 1901): His Majesty, King Arpad (Arthur) IT was crowned today in a simple and private ceremony at the Palace. When questioned concerning the apparent short notice of the coronation, He explained: "long engagements are so frightfully expensive and horribly inefficient. Besides, we do have some rather important and pressing business in the very near future which cannot wait on the coronation." His Majesty was, of course, referring to the birthday party of Her Majesty, Empress Lachnatha of Russia, on 31 October.

CARDIGAN (25 September 1901): A devastating epidemic has broken out among the great sheep heads of this region which threatens to destroy the wool industry here. As Acting on numerous demands of Hungarian microbiologists, (sent here from London by the Prime Minister, sought and discovered the pathogenic virus to the causative agent. The Welsh Labour Party has decided to march on Cardiff, announcing that they wished the honour of being the first to do so. The head of the Labour Party, Mr. Lewis Briglidi, stated, "Kill a Kraut for Cardigan."

LONDON (26 September 1901): His Majesty, King Arpad IT was today proclaimed Emperor of Britain. He announced a great celebration to be held on his birthday, 28 October, at which time he will be in Russia. Said the Emperor, "It will be a smashing party." Oh, by the way, We almost forgot--We're at war with Germany now, since about 8 o'clock this morning."

CARDIFF (27 September 1901): The Cardiff Giant, supposedly dead and fossilized was heard by 17 spectators today to say "Kill a Kraut for Cardiff."

DUBLIN (29 September 1901): 180,000 members of the IRA rioted in Dublin today chanting the slogan, "Kill a Kraut for Killarny!" Behind the members of the IRA marched a civilian army of almost 250,000 strong, apparently from County Cork, chanting in gorgeous counterpoint, "Kill a Kraut for Cork." One lone Scot was espied in the midst of the throng, carrying a placard, attesting to his loyalty to the Empire and his fierce Scottish national feeling. The placard stated, "Kill a Kraut for Kilkenny!" When observers pointed out that Kilkenny was in Ireland, he replied, "I hae na' care aboot that, laddie; ye think I'm goin' to say 'Scill a Scrout

*B. Bailey*  
*B.B. forging Rod Walker's mentality*



for Scotland? or mayhap Gill a Graut for Glenlivet? Ye're daft, mon."

CANTERBURY (1 October 1901): Archbishop Thomas a'Debrecen today blessed the combined fleets of the Imperial Navy as they set sail against the foe. "Kill!" said His Eminence. "Kill a Kraut for Kent! Kill a Kraut for the King! Kill a Kraut for Christ!!"

ALBANY: Methinks the Archbishop has succeeded in killing few Krauts, but he's done a very nice job of mangling Christ...

LONDON (5 October 1901): (From the Times, "Humour Abroad") An advertisement from an American magazine was reproduced on the cover of the Times today. It depicted an American cowboy on his faithful golden palomino, stating, "Kill a Kraut for a Camel." (Camel is a brand of American cigarettes.)

LONDON (7 October 1901): Our reporters in the Confederate States have reported increasing anti-German feeling in that nation. On a recent tour of such famous cities as Talahassee, Mobile, Birmingham, Leesburg (formerly New Orleans), and Greenville, the overwhelming spirit of the people was manifest in the ubiquitous slogans "Kill a Kraut for the Klan" and "Kill a Kraut for the Kouncil."

LONDON (8 October 1901): His Imperial Majesty, Arpad II, in the company of the Prime Minister, Dr. Hary Janos, departed London today for the court of Emperor of Emperor Ifan VII and his charming Empress, Lukretsya.

ALBANY: All I can say at this point, Rodney, is that you had better print every press release I ever send you--no matter how long! That is a threat.

MOSKVA (25 October 1901): His Imperial Majesty Ivan VII and Empress Lukretsya today welcomed to the capital of Imperial Russia His Imperial Majesty Arpad II of England and Prime Minister Hary Janos. A gala joint birthday party for Emperor Arpad and Empress Lukretsya is planned for 31 October, the Empress' birthday. As a prelude to the festivities, the Imperial company saw the performance of a daring new ballet by Alexander Scriabin, concerning a damsel fighting overwhelming odds at a disadvantage: "I Drempt I Killed Krauts in My Maidenform Bra." The choreographer, Demetrios Thanatospiros, was congratulated on his effective work (at least 15 chorus girls are to date reported pregnant). The orchestra, scored for celesta, hurdy-gurdy, hecklephone, subcontra-bass tubas, recorders, bassoons, Jenny Lind, and the usual strings, played valiantly. The ensemble was conducted by St. Leopold.

MOSKVA (30 October 1901): All Russia awaits breathlessly the birthday festivities of the Emperor of Britain and the Empress of Russia. Preparations have been going on for over a month now and, while news from the front may be discouraging (Curse You, Red Baron!), the entire country (though on the verge of invasion) is in a holiday (Kill a Kraut for Christ) mood.

MOSKVA (30 October 1901): The Minister of War, Count Robertsk Maknamrov, today announced a giant cost-reduction program. "Kill a Kraut for Cost," he said.

MOSKVA (31 November 1901): All Russia is recovering today from the Joint Imperial Birthday Party, held in the Kremlin yesterday. At last report, the Empress and Emperor Arpad have not been seen since yesterday evening, and nobody can find them. Foul play is suspected ((I'll say)). Prime Minister Alexei Arpadovich Haryski announced that many of the honoured guests (including Count Imry of Dracula, Miss Nata Hari, Miss Elisabeth Borden, Miss Charlotte Cordet, Dr. Moriarty, and James Latimer III) are searching for the missing rulers.

MOSKVA (31 November 1901): The Imperial Academy of Science at Petrograd today announced the discovery that the macrobes on one of their culture plates had spelled out, apparently at random, "Kill a Kreut for the Cooei!"

MOSKVA (2 November 1901): Emperor Arpad II of Britain and Empress Lukretsa were found today in the Imperial Dacha outside the capital. When asked what they were doing, the Empress merely replied, "I was just showing His Majesty my etchings." When asked what he thought of the etchings, His Majesty said, "Wow!"

MINSK (2 November 1901): A local tattoo artist was today imprisoned for spreading the scandalous rumor that the Empress had at one time employed his services...On the stomach no less! cnt

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